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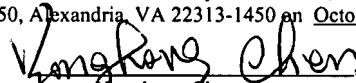
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In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56, Applicant hereby notifies the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office of the following documents for the above-identified application. Copies of the non-US documents set forth below and listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08A are provided herewith.

1. JP 07-502938 A (English equivalent application WO 92/10343 A1 is provided and listed as Document 4)
2. WO 01/13814 A1 (in English) (patent family JP 2003-507120 A is listed as Document 5)

3. JP 06-218712 A (English equivalent application US 5,204,055 is listed as Document 6)
4. WO 92/10343 A1 (English equivalent application of Document 1)
5. JP 2003-507120 A (patent family of Document 2)
6. US 5,204,055 (English equivalent application of Document 3)

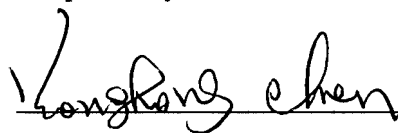
Documents 1-6 are cited in a Japanese Office action issued in the corresponding Japanese application.

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Applicants respectfully request that the listed document be considered by the Examiner and be made of record in the present application and that an initialed copy of Form PTO/SB/08A be returned in accordance with MPEP §609.

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